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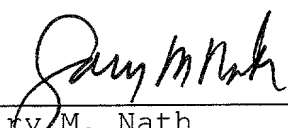
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- (1) Transmittal Letter
- (2) PTO Form-1082
- (3) 60 page Application consisting of:
 - 39 pages Textual Specification
 - 2 pages of 10 claims
 - 1 page containing the Abstract of the Disclosure
 - 18 sheets drawings
- (4) Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney
- (5) Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet
- (6) Request for Priority
- (7) Priority document no. P2000-350144
- (8) Priority document no. P2001-230651
- (9) Priority document no. P2001-230652
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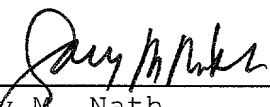
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